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	<b>Application Number</b>	10/087,223
	<b>Filing Date</b>	March 1, 2002
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Polishing Pad for Use in Chemical-Mechanical Planarization of Semiconductor Wafers and Method of Making Same

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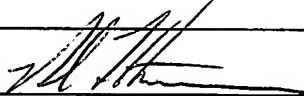
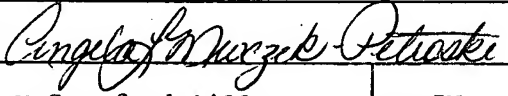
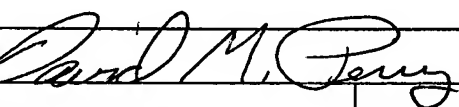


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